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Representative Peggy Hamric



Biographical Information

Peggy Hamric was elected to the Texas House of Representatives by special election in March of 1991. Representative Hamric is Chairwoman of House Administration, Chief Budget Officer for the House Committee on Transportation, and a member of the House Appropriations Committee. In addition, Representative Hamric was appointed by Speaker of the House Tom Craddick to the State Preservation Board and the Special Committee on School Finance.

During the 77th Legislature, Representative Hamric chaired the Harris County Delegation and the House Research Organization. Representative Hamric is a member of the National Republican Legislators Association, the American Legislative Exchange Council, the National Conference of State Legislators, the National Organization of Women Legislators, and the Texas Women's Alliance.

In 1991, Representative Hamric was named Outstanding Freshman by the Young Conservatives of Texas. In 1993, Representative Hamric received the Scholars Award for Excellence in Government by the North Harris-Montgomery Community College District. In 1994, Representative Hamric was honored by the Texas Chamber of Commerce with a Friend of Business Award. In 1997, the American Cancer Society presented Representative Hamric their Public Policy Award.

Representative Hamric sits on the Board of Directors of the Texas Federation of Republican Women, by whom she was honored as one of Ten Outstanding Republican Women in 1993. Representative Hamric is a member of Northwest Forest Republican Women, and a founding member of the 1960 Area Republicans. Representative Hamric is a board member of the Cypress-Woodlands Junior Forum and North Harris County Junior League. Representative Hamric is a member of Women Professionals in Government, the Cypress Creek Friends of the Library Community Advisory Council; and, is an honorary member of the Willowbrook Rotary Club.

Representative Hamric is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma with a degree in Elementary Education. Representative Hamric and her husband, Burt, have two grown children and two grandchildren and have lived in the Houston area for 34 years.

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